RING SCIENTISTS ARE KID AND JIM.

W. W. Naughton Rather Favors Corbett to Win From Wily McCoy.

WILL BE A GREAT BATTLE.

Both Are Clever and Fast as Chain Lighting-Meeting Is Set for August 30 in New York.

BY W. W. NAUGHTON.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, Aug. 1.-After years of what might be termed riotous rivalry, Jim Corbett and Kid McCoy, the king-pin exponents of refined fisticults, have agreed to fight. This simply serves to show what can be done in a hurry under pressing conditions. A few weeks ago there was no talk of a match between this pair.

Corbett, who went back into the slugging game armed with a desperate resolve to recapture the championship laurels, had eyes for nobody but Jeffries. He said as

But Jeffries is a cripple and the Horton days are fleeting. Soon the goody-goody folk will sing in the glad new year of the anti-boxing measure and dust will accumulate on the ring floors around Gotham. Under the circumstances, it was not hard to induce Corbett and McCoy to lend a hand in gathering the harvest. They are matched to box on the night of August 30. Theirs will be the final turn in the continuous performance that Fitzsimmons and Rublin will imaggrate on August 10. It

Rublin will inaugurate on August 10. It should be a rare treat to see these lightning strikers in action.

It will be a decided change, too, for the most important heavy weight battles of the year have been between hig brubers with arms like plano less.

When Sharkey and Jeffries began to forge to the front it looked as if fellows of the Corbett and McCoy stripe had had their day.

day.

The boilermaker and the sailor have been referred to as the battleships of the puglistic ficet. It is a question now whether the immense strength and weight of these battleships is not more of detriment than anything else. In addition to inflicting damage the heavy fellows seem to damage themselves. Battleships Stove In.

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Jeffries has acute synovial trouble, and Sharkey has a wrenched shoulder and cracked ribs. Neither of the battleships is in condition for a bruising fight.

Not so the torpedo boats—those fellows who cover ground and send in damaging shocks from long distances. Of this class are Corbett and McCoy, the talented pair who are to box on August 29.

It will be a hard thing to get a line on this contest. Each man is as fast as chain lightning, and there is wide difference in their styles. Which style will prove the more effective?

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McCoy is the author of the corkscrew punch, a long range blow which baffles all blocks and lands with the zip of a whip

Corbett is a past master at feinting and Corbett is a past master at feinting and foot work, and when he has his adversary thoroughly befogged he turns in short rips and jolts which sting and bruise.

Corbett is the heavier man. On account of long service in the ring it is but reasonable to suppose that the edge of his speed has been dulled and his stamina to some

cinch, and the fact that both men are train-ing in such an earnest manner proves that they realize that the fight will be one of the hardest they have ever fought. Ruhlin has been training at Billy Madden's place at Bath Beach for some time, and says he is in such excellent condition that he will easily dispose of Fitzsimmons in less time then he took to put Sharkey out. casily dispose of ritzsimmons in less time than he took to put Sharkey out.

As the outcome of this fight will settle who is to be Jeffries's next opponent in a championship bout, both men will do their best to earn the decision, and with such big fellows, and such hard hitters, one of the best fights ever seen in this country should be witnessed.

be witnessed.

The clinching of the match between Jim Corbert and Kid McCoy yesterday afternoon makes the third important fight to be decided before the Horton law goes out of existence September 1. Not since pugilism was first introduced in this country have there been so many important fistic encounters slated to be fought in less than three weeks' time as are billed from August 19 to August 39. The three fights scheduled are the Fitzsimmons-Ruhlin go on August are the Fitzsimmons-Ruhlin go on August 10, the Sharkey-Fitzsimmons mill on August 25 and that between Jim Corbett and McCoy

"I am glad that my match with Corbett "I am glad that my match with Corbett has been clinched," said McCoy to-day. "I have been after him for some time, and all I want is the chance to face him in the ring. He flunked out of our last match, but if he crawis this time I will know the reason why. I can defeat Corbett, and no one knows that better than the ex-champion himself. Now that the match is assured, I will go to Saratoga at once to begin training. I will be in good condition on August 39."

Corbett does not agree with McCoy, how-Corbett does not agree with McCoy, however. Said he to-day:
"McCoy will have an opportunity to make
good his bluffs on August 20. I have consented to meet him simply to show him
that he has a swelled head. He thinks he
can defeat me, but he will know better
after the battle. There is no honor in a victory over McCoy, but, as he has insisted
on a match, I decided to accommodate him
and ret some easy money. I would prefer and get some easy money. I would prefer to fight Jeffries for the championship, but I will take care of the champion after my match with the 'Kid.'"

DWIGHT DAVIS'S GOOD TEXNIS. Young St. Louisan Has Chance to Win

International Championship.

Dwight F. Davis upheld the honors of St.
Louis as a center of lawn tennis excellence
on Tuesday by defeating Benis Wright, the
Eastern crack, in the final of games for the
Longwood Cup. The meeting of these players was very important, as it furnished a
line on that much-debated question as to
which is the best style of play, the so-called
brilliant or "Wrenn style," which is the
steady and sure method.

It is claimed by Eastern critics that the
former style is being gradually dropped by
the top-notchers in favor of the game played
by Wrenn, who is very steady, but not
slow. Wrenn will never risk everything
on one shot, while the St. Louis crack
will take a chance, no matter where the
hall may come to him, to kill it at once by
putting it entirely out of his opponent's
reach.

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seven years have had but two winners who played the driving game and two runners up, it is not as good a style as the sure and steady game. It seems that everything depends upon the man who is handling the racket, as some men have to play a fast driving game or they cannot win a game, much less a set. Others have that phlegmatic disposition which will not allow them to do anything in a swift, flashy manner. This brings about the two styles of play and the chances are that they will be used as long as rackets are strung and courts rolled.

ALTGELD REPLIES

TO GOV. ROOSE

WOUNDED KNEE IS IN BAD SHAPE. Lemp's Promising Colt Broke Down at the Fair Grounds.

Duke Alexis, A. D. Anderson's 2-year-old Guide-Ethel Fortune, bucked in both of his hind shins in the first race Tuesday. It is rather an unsusal thing for a colt to buck behind.

Bannocburn pulled up lame after his race at Saratoga yesterday. Barney Schriber's trainers will have some trouble getting the great horse on the track again, as his un-derpinning is not any too strong. It seems as though Barney made a great mistake when he refused the offer of \$19,000 that was made for Bannockburn at San Fran-cisco last whiter. cisco last winter.

Every day fresh rumors spring up about the new race track at Kinloch. It is now said that officials have been engaged. This Mr. Lucas denies. A force of graders have been at work on the site of the new track for some time. The course is staked out. The promoters of the project would hardly go to this much trouble unless they intended to carry out their plans.

Go-To-Bed is a real good horse right now. His mile yesterday in 1:41 flat is an excellent performance. Sir Rolla was not far behind at the end. He is a much im-proved animal over his last year's form. Wounded Knee, the much-vaunted 3-year-

Wounded Knee, the much-vaunted 3-yearold from Louis Lemp's stable, probably will
end his racing career as a maiden. In preparing for the Laurel Stake, which was
run last Saturday, he broke down badly,
and it is extremely doubtful if he will ever
face a barrier again. Wounded Knee gave
much promise of developing into a great
colt last spring, and it was thought by
many that the St. Louis Derby was at his
mercy, as he was in this classic event
with a feather on his back. However, he
was away off on the day of the race and
after running well for six furlongs he quit
to nothing.

VARDON AND ARMSTRONG WON. Played Against Sweeney and Singer

in Golf Tournament. Utica, N. Y. Aug. 1.—In the golf tourna-ment at Blue Mountain Lake to-day Harry Varion and George Armstrong of the Fox Hills Golf Club defeated Harry R. Sweeny of the Albany Country Club and Mortimer Singer. The tournament will continue until August 8.

MR. SNAKE AND MISS BUNNIE. Played the Moth and the Flame at Venice.

Two pet rabbits and a snake played a game in the rear of Squire Fechte's grounds at Venice yesterday-the game of "the moth and the flame."-Mr. Snake, the flame, was trying to charm Miss Bunnie, the moth. Mr. Bunnie, however, failed to come under the influence of the swaying reptile's show. The attention lavished on his mate was sworn to defend the Constitution and caused him to sprint about the inclosure as

were at work hard by.

By the time they could gain the yard the reptile had so terrified the rabbit it selected that the pet was on the point of darting straight into its mouth. When the snake

eleven devisees, his widow and ten children,
On December 29, 1886, Mr. Ryder executed
a codicil revoking most of the legacies in
the original will. Nearly all of the estate
was devised to the widow, and now the children want to break the will.
Lincoln H. Ryder, one of the heirs, is a
member of the St. Louis police force. Mr.
and Mrs. Charles Ryder live in Cass County,
Virginia; Mrs. Morenz at Boody, Ill.; Mr.
and Mrs. William H. Hauskins at Kaufman,
and the rest of the heirs reside near Aihambra.

FAMILY'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Awakened by Fire and Forced to Flee for Their Lives.

The residence of G. G. Landers, in Jefferson avenue, Kirkwood, was completely de-stroyed by fire at 2 o'clock yesterday morning. In the house at the time were Mr. and Mrs. Landers, their two young daughters, on August 30.

Both McCoy and Corbett are as confident as men can be that each is the master of All escaped uninjured, but were forced to leave all their personal belongings behind

them.

The fire was discovered by the servant. She slept in a rear room on the second story. Smoke in her bedchamber awakened her and she aroused the family. The ery "Fire!" spread through the town and soon church bells were tolling the alarm and engines in the Missouri Pacific yards were shrilly proclaiming it. A crowd gathered at the place of danger and managed to save a plano, the parior furniture and some books. The loss on the house is \$3.000, covered by insurance.

HANNA SET HIS FOOT DOWN. Vetoed Mr. Blain's Idea of Organizing Roosevelt Rough Rider Clubs.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Aug. 1.—Senator Hanna, as the head of the Republican National Campaign Committee, to-day vetoed the plan of Marshall C. Blain to organize Rooseveit Rough Republican clubs throughout all the Rider Republican ciubs throughout all the doubtful States of the Middle and Far West.

"We will have," said Chairman Hanna, "McKinley and Roosevelt clubs, but the Republican National Committee will, not encourage or countenance rough rider clubs and will not contribute a dollar toward them. If the local managers in the mountain States decide that rough rider clubs will help them they can go ahead and organize them.

them.
"Mr. Blain was in to see me to-day with "Mr. Blain was in to see me to-day with his scheme. I believe we can accomplish much more good with McKinley and Roosevelt clubs."

Mr. Blain's plan was a very comprehensive one, and he had based it on the belief that Governor Roosevelt will be the great popular figure in the campaign. If it had been encouraged it would unquestionably have led to confusion in the public mind as to whether McKinley or Roosevelt was running for President.

TEXAS REPUBLICAN SPLIT.

Green Sustained by State Committee

Accounts of the Davis-Wright games of Tuesday say that the former played his driving and smashing game, placing his shots, while the latter played a sure, steady game, getting everything back and making few errors. Davis earned half his points, while Wright scored almost all of his on his opponet's outs and bets. Still Davis won out, and as Wright is a thorough disciple of the steady game, it is sure that the driving game will stick for a year or two at any rate.

The critics referred to argue that because the championships at Newport for the last

TO GOV. ROOSEVELT.

His Speech Before Ohio Demoeratic Clubs Characterized by Vigor and Candor.

CALLS TEDDY A STRUTTER.

Answers His Attack on Democratic Party and Throws Light on the Republican Nominee's Past.

Toledo, O., Aug. 1.-The second day's ses don of the Ohio Democratic Clubs opened with a meeting addressed by several local; speakers. Resolutions were adopted along the lines of the Kansas City platform, but no specific mention of free silver was made. The afternoon session was held in a grove outside the city, and was addressed by General Sherwood, Judge Smalley and others. a train, Ex-Governor John P. Altgeld of Illinois addressed the clubs at the closing meeting this evening.

His speech, which was a lengthy one, dealing with all the phases of the campaign just opening up, and with the paramount issues before the people, was in the nature of a reply to Governor Roosevelt, whom ex-Governor Altgeld did not spare.

He made numerous and lengthy quota tions from Roosevelt's speech, and used plain words in denouncing the Republican nominee's attack upon the Democratic parly and policies. The following are some of ex-Governor Altgeld's more pointed remarks; "Every few weeks we are told that the Philippine Islands are pacified; that Ameri-can sovereignty has finally been established at the point of the bayonet, and yet we lately when the commanding General was asked to send some of his men to China he eplied that one regiment was all that he

ould spare. "There is to-day no question of expansion before the American people, and all the talk about expansion is simply an effort to conceal the facts and to mislead the public. The sole question is whether we shall go into the colonial business with England and the despotic nations of Europe.

"Bear in mind that every trust in America is fighting the Democratic platform.

Even the alleged Democratic stockholders in the Republican Ice Trust of New York. controlled by Tom Platt's son, are fighting our platform. "We have seen the spectacle of a Major eyes, so he grew jealous and queered the General of the United States Army, who

was paid a salary by the Government for fast as his four legs could go and this unusual maneuver attracted the attention of John Fechte, Jr., and Moni Miller, who ing trust magnates that the Constitution was no longer binding. On Roosevelt.

"Recently a gentleman in New York who had become famous for having been alone in Cuba-a gentleman who has adopted as straight into its mouth. When the snake in Cuba-a gentleman who has adopted as saw the human intruders it turned upon them and for several minutes excitement was at the seething point.

Miller started the encounter by dealing the reptile a blow with a club. With a liss that was almost a whistle, the snake went through a series of evolutions which caused its bedy to glide toward the generies who is speech has not, from beginning to each a and a double "S," which four letters signify "pompous posing" and "strenuous strutting"—left the capital of New York and went to St. Paul and delivered a speech to an association of Republican claus. The speech has not, from bestmaing to end, a single argument or a single accurate historical reference; a speech that is made up of invective, misrepresentations and vituperation.

"Ordinarily the speech would not be noticed even in a country newspaper but in.

so, may it not be that he does not believe the charge that he has made against us? weapon of warfare known as a newspaper bureau in winning more renown in a week than General Grant did in four years of hard fighting, and he seems to be the only man on this continent who boasts of Inving with his own hand shot down and killed a Spaniard that was fleeing from the battle-fleid. In his book he says: "As they turned to run I closed in and fried twice, missing the first and killing the second." He then boasts that he had considered this feat unique, and so it is. He is the first brave man to shoot an enemy in the back.

"Tin-Plate Hero."

"History records the fact that the Govern-or has never lost an opportunity when standing in the temple or market place to standing in the tempte of market place to make loud professiations of heroic virtue, but the historian has searched in vain for any evidence of performance. The volume of profession is tall, but the page of performance is a blank.

"Again, the modern historians tell us that it was he who first demonstrated to manking that however useful the camera may be to science, to art and to industry its trans-

kind that however useful the camera may be to science, to air and to industry, its true mission is to develop triplate heroes.

"The records at Albany show that the Governor got the Legislature to pass a law taxing the franchises of carporations—a most righteous law. But the records also show that at the demands of Tom Platt and the corporations he reconvenest the Legislature in extra session and had it change this law as the corporations dietated.

"The canal fund of New York had been robbed of about \$5,00,000 by Republican politicians, and, although he taiked loudly of prosecution, the Governor has not brought one of these men to justice."

Referring to the Democrats, he said: "They stand for lawlessness and disorder, for dishonesty and dishonor, for license and disaster at home, and cowardly shrinking

disaster at home, and cowardly shrinking from duty abroad." from duty abroad."

"This is a reflection on the intelligence and patriotism and the honor of every Democrat in the country. It is a personal insult to the six and one-half million of men who supported Mr. Bryan in 1895, and to the eleven millions of freemen who are going to

support him in 1900.
"The question arises: Is this the language of a sincere and discreet man, and therefore worthy of notice, or is it simply the hysterical rant of a political mountebank, and therefore to be treated with contempt?

chairman of the Democratic State Committee, said to-night: "The great battle for white supremacy in North Carolina has been fought and in less than twenty-four hours we shall know the result,

"We are ready for the ballots. The indications are that we shall poll the biggest vote ever polled in the State. The Aycock ticket will be elected and the ameniment will be adopted by the largest majority ever given in this State since the war, and we

win be adopted by the largest majority ever-given in this State state the war, and we shall have a large majority in both branches of the Legislature.

"There is no animosity on the part of the Democrats towards the negro. We simply want to know and intend be shall know his

place.

"If his miserable white allies, who seek to use him to ride into office would let him alone, he and the white people would get along well enough together. Our majority will be such an overwhelming verilet of the white people of the State in favor of eliminating the ignorant and vicious negro vote that this race question will forever hereafter be regarded as a settled question in North Carolina."

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When asked at Winston to-day what, in his opinion, would be the result at to-morrow's election, Republican State Chairman Holton realied: "I cannot tell."

A Benneratic rally was held at Casar, in Cleveland County, to-day. At the close of the speaking a fight ensued, in which several persons were wounded. Hob Brackett, a Republican, is reported dying from wounds. Frank Orsen, another Republican, who fired on the crowd, is being pursued. At Concord the largest rally of the campaign was held, 12,000 people being present. Harry Lacey, a Populist speaker from Texas, tried to address a crowd of Populists, but was yelled down by Democrats, Later a crowd gathered at his hotel, Reverind Lacey Hoge, a Baptist minister, appealed for law and order, Mayor George W. Means personally escorted Lacey to Mr. Hoge's residence. Thence he was taken out of town six miles, where he took a train.

BRYAN ON INCOME TAX. Will Not Discuss It in His Indianapolis Speech-His Plans.

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Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 1.—Mr. Bryan was uadisturbed by visitors to-day. In order to rost at rest the minds of a number of editors, who seemed to be in travall over the marter, he gave out this statement:

"I shall not discuss the become tax in my notification speech at Indianapolis, but will deal with the subject in my letter of acceptance. I regard the reaffirmation of the Chicago platform as an indorsement of the income tax principle."

The greater part of the day he spent in a final revision of his notification speech. The corrected copy will go to the stenographer to-morrow, and copies for the presswill shortly be made. Mr. Bryan said to-night that he had not yet received the invitation from the froquois Club of Chicago to take luncheon there. Tuesday, as has been printed. Stevenson, Alschuler and other prominent Democratis are to meet him, and, as Mr. Bryan has made no other engagements so far, he will doubtless accept the club's hospitality. A letter from Chicago says that a big delegation of the Cook County Marching Club will accompany him to Indianapolis and take part in the parade.

This evening Mr. Bryan attended a meeting of the Jeffersonnan Club, the leading Democratic organization of the city. He spoke at some length to the members, but his talk was merely an informal one, congratulatory of the club's growth and expressive of his appreciation of the long and unselfish support the club had given him.

After a two days' session the Executive committees of the Populist and Democratic organizations adjourned to-night. Elaborate plans for the campaign were had.

State organizations adjourned to-night Elaborate plans for the campaign were laid All Dryan was several times called into consultation and he expressed his belief afterwards that fusion was never more perfect in Nebraska.

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Chairman Edinisten expressed the filmost confidence that Eryan would carry the State by from 15,000 to 20,000 majority, Edinisten is conceded to be the best organizer in the State, and the most acute politician. The Executive committees discussed in Towne's case for some time. A suggestion was made that the committees pass a resolution favoring Towne's withdrawal, but

olution favoring Towne's withdrawal, but this was not pressed.

There will be no meeting of the Populist National Executive Committee at Chicago next week, as was expected. The Towne matter is reaching a point where it will work out all right if no interference is at-tempted, but time must be had in order to mold sentiment so that the midroad move-ment will not be augmented.

Martin Captured the Nomination for

Des Moines, I.a., Aug. I.—The Republican Convention to-day nominated the following State ticket: "It is next recorded that he entered the Spanish War in Cuba, and, although his regiment was commanded by another man, he succeeded by means of that modern weapon of warfare known as a newspaper chester.

Convention to-day nominated the following State ticket.

**Conventio chester.
Treasurer of State, G. S. Gilbertson of Forest City.
Attorney General, C. W. Mulian of Waterico.
Judge of the Supreme Court, Emlin Me-Clain of Iowa City.
Railroad Commissioner, D. J. Palmer of Washington.
Presidential Electors-at-Large, John N. Baldwin of Council Binns, Ole O. Roe of Dos Mojnes

Richmond, Va., Aug. L—The Democrats of the Third Congressional District te-day renominated John Lamb for Congress.

BROAD HATS WERE IN DEMAND. Fisherman's Supply Taken by Office Building Tenants.

fice Building Tenants.

Persons having business in the Carleton building at Sixth and Olive streets yesterday afternoon were surprised to see the tenants and the employes of the building stroffing in the certidors and working at their desks with luge straw hats on their heads. The brond-brimmed headgear was suggestive of things gently bucolle, and when one of the tenants saw Miss Frances A. Hoover sitting at her typewriter in the lower corridor with the large hat sunken low over her forchead, he hazarded the guess that the people in the building were afraid that their complexions would be burned by the bright glare of the electric lamps.

"The question arises: Is this the language of a sincere and discreet man, and therefore worthy of notice, or is it simply the hysterical rant of a political mountebank, and therefore to be treated with contempt? "He gives no facts and advances no arguments in support of this charge. It is simply an assertion. He puts himself in evidence. Aside from truthfulness, it involves his sincerity and discretion.

"Now look at the spectacle of a trust candidate for Vice President of the United States, who has never seen the, Philippines, standing up at a distance of 10,000 miles from these islands and, in order to get votes in support of a criminal cause, is willing to libel those innocent people, who have done neither him nor us any harm, but whose towns we have been burning for nearly two years, whose fathers and brothers we have been hurning for nearly two years, whose fathers and brothers we have been shooting down, whose fields we have been shooting down, whose fields we have been laying waste, on the order of President McKinley, issued December 21, 1898, beginning a war of conquest."

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IN THE CITY.

INCORPORATED—The Brooklyn Elevator and Grain Company filed articles of incorporation yesterday; capital, \$5,00; stockholders, W. D. Judd, John H. O'Rourke and P. P. Bliss.

POST OFFICE RECEIPTS-The receipts of the St. Louis Post Office for July, 1996, show an increase of 16.44 per cent over the same month hist year, being \$150,496.71, against \$129,242.53 in 1899.

UNION LAWN PARTY—The "Order of the Eastern Star" will give a union lawn party at the Masonic Home grounds on Union and Delmar avenues on Thursday evening. The proceeds will be devoted to the entertainment of the Grand Chapter, which meets in St. Louis in October.

G. A. ROBYN'S FUNERAL-The funera of Guldo A. Roberts Pt National The Indicate of Guldo A. Robert who died Sunday, took place yesterday afternoon at his late residence, No. 6052 West Cabanne Terrace. The interment was in Bellefontaine Cemetery, A widow, Mrs. Kate Kent Robyn, and two sons, Harry and Lyon Robyn, survive him.

WOMAN'S BURNS FATAL-Irene Dwyer of No. 962 Walmut street, who was fatally burned by an explosion of gasoline Tues-day morning, died at the City Hospital yes-terday morning in great agony. Her state-ment, made a short time before she died, was that the explosion was accidental.

PAINTERS' LODGE FORMED-A new PAINTERS LODGE FORMED-A new bedge of the Erotherhood of Painters and Decorators and Painters' Association has been formed in Venice, Grante Chy and Madison, Ill., this week. The lodge starts with twenty-five charter members. It will called the Tri-City Lodge,

party will be given by the employes of the St. Louis Shovel Company on Saturday evening at Foerstel's Court at Clayton and Boyle avenues, where there will be a bag-panching contest and other diversions. In case of rain the party will be postponed un-til August II. EMPLOYES' LAWN PARTY-A laws

TO CLOSE TEMPORABILY—The Hamilton-Brown Shoe Factory at Twenty-first and Locust streets will close down Friday evening for ten days to allow certain repairs to be made. The machinery will be overlauded and portions of the building enlarged. There are 1.399 persons employed in the factory, who will be out of employment while the work of remarking is in ment while the work of repairing is

APOTHECARIES MEET TO-MORROW-The St. Louis Apothecaries Association will hold its postponed annual meeting at the St. Louis College of Pharmacy, No. 2193 Locust Street, to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The election of officers and other important business will be transacted. All retail druggists in the city are invited to

SEEKING HER HUSBAND-Chief of Po lice Campbell received a letter yesterday from Mrs. Tillie Hencock of No. 431 West Van Buren street, Chicago, Ili., requesting information of U. G. Hencock, who is supcago four years ago and that he has a half-brother, Sherrod Heacock, llving in St. Louis. The directory gives Sherrod Hea-cock's address as No. 598 St. Charles street, The old building at that place has be a torn down. Heacock's present address could not be learned.

Dos Moines.

REED SILENT.

Refuses to Say Whether He Will Make Any Campaign Speeches.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 1.—Former Speaker of the House Thomas Reed, who was in this city to-day, refused to say whether or not it was his intention to make a speech in Maine or clsewhere during the rungaign.

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Negative Manager of the Olympic Theater, was fined \$25 in the First District Police Courty yesterday morning on a charge of failing to provide his theater with an automatic fire extinguisher. An appeal was taken to the Court of Criminal Correction. The crossed against the spering but was stayed in order to give them a chance to comply with the ordinance. The managers of the Various theaters got together and decided to light the ordinance on constitutional grounds.

FEXAS CLAIMS ARPANCE. THEATER MANAGER FINED-Patrick

some time members of the Business Men's League have been receiving claims from the State Revenue Agent of Texas under the foreign corporation act of that State. Within the last ten days twenty claims have been made under this act for amounts varycounsel for the Business Men's League, has advised for two years that payments under this act be refused, on the grounds that it is unconstitutional, except in regard to firms which maintain branch houses or keep stores of goods in that State. He has at last come to a satisfactory arrangement with authorities by which local mermantly correspants or which a constitutions which a constitution of the satisfactory arrangement with authorities by which local mermantly correspants are satisfactory arrangement. cantile corporations making affidavit on a form furnished for the purpose, will not be analoyed by further demands under this much debated and contested act of the Texas Legislature.

LORD DEMONDE DYING.

His Brother Will Succeed to the Estate.

SPECIAL BY CABLE.
London, Aug. 1.—(Copyright, 1900, by W. R. Hearst.)—Lord Demonde. Vice Commodore of the Royal Yacht Squadron, is reported to-night to be so seriously ill that his life is despaired of. Inasmuch as he has no sons, but only two daughters, his hereditary honors and large entailed estates will pass to his brother. Lord Arthur Butler, whose American wife, a daughter of General Anson Stager of Chicago, will, therefore, become Marchioness of Ormonde, herededst son, now a 19-year-old boy, being at the same time invested with the title of Earl of Ossory. Earl of Ossory.

Among the many dignities which General

I CURE SEXUAL DEBILITY.



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Little Book, Ark., Aug. L.—Articley of incorporation were filed to day with the Secretary of State by the Beaver Stone Company of Eureka Springs. The englial stone is 50,000, The importorators are: W. M. Duncan, president: W. M. Duncan, Mark Hellingsworth and M. D. Jordan, directors. Chectors:
The Texarkuna Loon and Frust Company to-day filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State. The incorporates are Henry M. Kasin, Jas. F. Elack, F. A. Symonds, Fratt P. Bacon and Frank S. Quinn. The capital stock is \$16,002.

important business will be transacted. All retail druggists in the city are invited to attend the meeting.

RETAIL GROCERS TO MEET-A special meeting of the Retail Grocers' Association will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Grocers' Hall, No. 132 Olive street, A report will be submitted by the delegates who attended the State Convention of Retail Grocers at St. Joseph, Mo., recently, All details of final arrangements for the picnic Sunday, August 5, will be attended to.

ORGANIST ACQUITTED—August Halter,

Church, was acquitted of the charge of wife abandonment in the Court of Criminal Correction yesterday morning. Mrs. Halter testified that her husband on leaving her offered her \$25 a month for her support, but site rejected the offer because she wanted more, Judge Clark discharged him without requiring a defense.

WHEAT AND FLOUR STOCK—Stocks of wheat in public elevators in St. Louis August 1, according to flaures furnished to Scattery Morgan of the Mercanute Exception of the St. Louis and the real state of the St. Louis and the results of the Scattery Morgan of the Mercanute Exception of the Mercanute In the Court of the Mercanute Exception of the Mercanute In the Me

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ST. VINCENT-24 ft. 6 in., s. s., bet. Louisiana and Compton; Albert Spang to Ernst Everet w. d. THIRD-40 ft. I in., w. s., bet. Park and Rutger; Adolph Stelnmeyer to Mary Steinmeyer-w. d.

BURIAL PERMITS. Robert N. Tate, 9 months, 1422 Walton; entero-

Citis. Lett, 18 years, 2013A Cote Brilliante; tu-Louis Tuegel, 2 days, 321 Greer; syanosis, Fannie Hendricks, 21 years, 2311 Morgan; deop-Marzella Little, 3 years, 1116 North Broadway; refula. Canelia Scott, I year, 1128 North Eighth; mar-Katie Ball, 6 years, 4214 Margaretta; diphreria. Alonzo Slater, 60 years, 2319 Papin; nephritis, Anna M. Reins, 2 months, 1624 North High; nterocolitis. Rolla Rose, 8 days, 403 Ashland; intussuscep-Charles K. Paszek, 3-months, 1924 Soulard; cholern. Perry Wood, 27 years, 2206 Morgan; consumpon. Amelia De Groene, 40 years, 2011/2 Lynch; emorthage: Burth Kissel, 22 years, Alexian Brothers' Hoswhooping cough. John Bessler, G years, 2619 Franklin; nephritis Kalodzicy Wenzelaus, I year, 2826 Sonth Sec ed cholera. Frillia A. Bauer, 6 days, 1916 Provenchere tanus. Rose Wilburn, 45 years, Insane Asylum; can John Shankey, 53 years, 2425 Bell; consumption Mack Johnson, 24 years, Missouri Pacific Ros tral; pneumenia, Mary Knox, 2 years, 1236 North Tenth; diar-Loca. Robert Brown, 75 years, 2829 Scott; senifity. Edward Joske, 56 years, Luxemburg, Mo.; drop Penri Meyer, 7 months, East St. Louis; dysen ly. Joseph Lynch, 2 years, 622 Ella; diphtheria.

BUILDING PERMITS.

James I. Ealy, 2021 North Newstead; dwelling 22 (60).
SS. Peter and Paul's Parish, 1916 South Eighth; as dition, 25,500.
Mrs. Vahrenholtz, 4232 North Twentieth; dwelling \$1,400.
Union Station Company: floor alterations, \$2,240. William Dischert, 1839-32 Morgan; carriage fac-ry, \$15,142. ery, \$13,142. Mrs. I. Ekobel, 3941 Olive; store, \$6,500.

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CHILDREN IN A SAD PLIGHT.

Four of Them Go to House of Refage at Their Own Request.

Deserted by their father and minus their of Daniel Curtain were committed to due to a Daniel Curtain were committed to
the House of Refuge yesterday morning by
direction of Mayor Ziegenhein, to whom
they related their pitful tale.
Mary Ellen Curtain, the eldest of the
waits, is a girl of 15 years. It was she who
applied to the Mayor for admittance to the institution, speaking for the other four, who accompanied her to the Mayor's office. accompanied her to the Mayor's office.

Their mother died more than a year ago. Daniel Curtain, their father, supported the grief-stricken family until Tuesday of last week, when he mysteriously disappeared. He sold his furniture the night previous and in the morning kissed the children good-by. He has not been seen since.

After his departure Mary and her 19-year-old brother attempted to earn a pittance to maintain the family, dreading separation, He worked in a glass house of the South Side and brought home the small sum of \$2.50 each week; she did what she could and added another \$2.50 to the treasury. Now work is not easy to procure, and they decided to go to the House of Refuge rather than endure separation.

than endure separation. Daniel Curtain leved at 2830 South Second street. He is about 37 years old. VISITORS AT THE HOTELS.

-J. R. Rippey, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, is at the Laciede, -J. H. Bruns, a Jefferson City manufacturer, is at the St. Nicholas, -J. H. Carrington of Hot Springs, Ark., is at the Southern. Southern.

S. H. Haker of Salt Lake City is at the Planters. Planters.

-R. M. Snyder, a Kansas City banker, is at the Southern. the Southern.

-H. B. Spaulding of Muscogee, I. T., is at the Planters. -G. S. Cartweight of Kansas City is at the St. -A. E. Asbury, a capitalist of Higginsville is at the Laclede. R. B. Hutchenson of Checotah, I. T., is at the -H. Dunien of Emperia, Kas., is at the South-... F. D. Sicor of Odin, BL, is at the Southern.
J. R. Jataison of Kirksville, Mo., is at the L. Gregory of Paducin, Ky., is at the Planters.

-P. H. McCrickett of Union, Mo., is at the Lacesde.

SINGLE-TAX LEAGUE. Adolph Hoentzschel Won First

Prize for Best Essay.

At a meeting of the Single-Tax League at At a meeting of the Single-Tax League at its hall, No. 312 North Twelfth street, last night, \$100 was distributed in prizes for the best essays on the subject of "Single Tax." The first prize of \$25 was awarded Adolph Hoentzschel, a theological student attending Concordia Seminary. He is 13 years old and his home is in Chicago. The balance of the fund was divided into prizes of \$10 and \$5 each The first five contestints were the fund was divided into prizes of \$10 and \$5 each. The first five contestants were awarded \$10 each and the last five \$5 each. The winners were: Harry Rubin of No. 1298 North Ninth street, Mary Skyler, No. 104 North Eleventh street; Josephine Steinberg, No. 1048 North Third street; Inex \$6\$. Dutro, No. 6847 Garner evenue; Lucy M. Williams, No. 6882 Pernod avenue; Eva Minger, No. 3022 Rutger street; Jacob Dubinsky, No. 744 Carr street; Harry Quicksiiver, No. 1017 Morgan street; Archie Webster, No. 308 Chonleau avenue, and Herman Heitkamp, No. \$10 High street. Chonicau avenue, and Herman Herkamp,
No. 819 High street.

The judges in the contest were: Professor
Crunden of the Public Library, Professor
John's Collins, Doctor J. W. Caldwell, W.
P. Hill and L. P. Custer, The essay of tho
winning contestant was read at the meeting and it evoked much applaines. Six of the
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